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**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF NOVEMBER 20, 2007**

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks  
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Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is the required Change of Inventorship, as well as a copy of the signed Consent of Assignee and a copy of the unsigned Statement of Mark Gibbon. The unsigned document is in the process of being signed, and this paper will be supplemented when that signed document is received. Because the applicant is in the U.K., there has been a delay in obtaining the signed document, but it will be signed. Mr. Gibbon is no longer employed by the assignee, which has caused the delay.

A copy of the Notice of November 20, 2007, is submitted herewith, and

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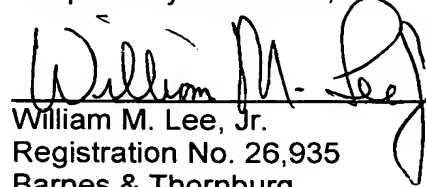
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any questions should be directed to the undersigned.

December 20, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/15/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/15/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/02/2007
- Oath or Declaration filed on 05/21/2007
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/15/2006
- Assignment filed on 04/16/2007
- Priority Documents filed on 09/15/2006
- Power of Attorney filed on 04/16/2007
- Specification filed on 09/15/2006
- Claims filed on 09/15/2006
- Abstracts filed on 09/15/2006
- Drawings filed on 09/15/2006

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FOR: *Defective Response*

Due Date: *12/20/07*

Final Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's response filed 07/02/2007 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 05/11/2007 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - It still remains that inventor Mark GIBBON was omitted from the declaration. Also, the last name of inventor David ALLEN, has been changed to ALLAN, please submit a corrected declaration or an explanation for omitting inventor GIBBON or an explanation for inventor ALLAN's name change. Please note, that if submitting corrected declarations that they are complete sets of declarations (ie. if it is necessary for the inventors to sign a separate declaration). If you believe you have already addressed these issues in previous correspondence, please provide a copy of said documents (with USPTO date stamp) with your response to this office action (the only declaration(s) currently on file are the ones submitted on 4/16/2007).

**Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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